

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

CLERK'S OFFICE

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2014-438-W

Petition of Rural Water, Inc. to Abandon and Transfer the Water Customers of the Harless-Seymour Subdivision, Greenwood County, South Carolina to the Greenwood Commission of Public Works (CPW)

Rural Water, Inc. (the Company) has filed a Petition with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) to Abandon and Transfer Water Customers of the Harless – Seymour Subdivision, Greenwood County, South Carolina to the Greenwood Commissioners of Public Works (CPW). The Petition was filed pursuant to 10 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-704 and Title 58, Chapter 5 of the South Carolina Code. According to the Petition, the Company requests to abandon and transfer approximately twenty-five water customers served by the Harless-Seymour Water System in Greenwood County, South Carolina to the CPW. The Company's transferred customers are expected to begin receiving service from the CPW on or about September 30, 2015. Additionally, the Petition states that the Company will facilitate, under South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) guidance, proper close-out of the system in compliance with DHEC Regulation 61-58 once all active customers of Rural Water, Inc. have been connected to the CPW. The Company requests that the Commission approve its Petition without conducting a hearing.

CPW's current water rates are as follows (a copy of CPW's Complete Rate Schedule can be found at www.psc.sc.gov under Docket No. 2014-438-W):

Monthly Rates				
Meter Charges:				
¾" x 5/8"		\$13.97	3" x 3"	\$223.44
1" x 1"		\$34.92	4" x 4"	\$349.13
1 ½" x 1 ½"		\$69.82	6" x 6"	\$698.26
2" x 2"		\$111.73	8" x 8"	\$1,117.21
			10" x 10"	\$1,745.65
Volume Charges:				
First	15,000	cu. ft.	\$2.9724	per 100 cu. ft.
Over	15,000	cu. ft.	\$1.0505	per 100 cu. ft.

Water Connection Charges are as follows:

¾" tap 5/8" meter \$770.00
1" tap 1" meter \$965.00
1 ½" tap 1 ½" meter \$3,350.00

A copy of the company's Petition can be found on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov under Docket No. 2014-438-W. Additionally, a copy of the Petition is available from the office of John C. Lake, President, Rural Water, Inc., Post Office Box 359, Ware Shoals, South Carolina 29692.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission located at 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Petition. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **December 22, 2014**. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2014-438-W and mail a copy to all other parties in this docket.*** Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the company at the above address, on or before **December 22, 2014**. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2014-438-W.***

For the most recent information regarding this docket, including changes in scheduled dates included in this Notice, please refer to www.psc.sc.gov and ***Docket No. 2014-438-W.***

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